

Quarterly Programs List
January/February/March 2008
WCTX – MyTV9

The following programs and (News Channel 8) news stories aired on **MyTV9 (WCTX) news** and contributed to covering issues of importance in the community. News Channel 8 on MyTV9 airs five days a week at 7-8am, & from 10-10:30pm on WCTX. The news stories range from thirty-ninety seconds.

"AMERICAN LATINO" (Syndicated) 30 minutes – Sunday 12pm
American Latino celebrates American Latino Pride. The weekly award winning show sets the standard for culturally relevant television for young, U.S. born Latinos in the United States. This quarter, the show ran on Sundays at noon.

"LatINATION" (syndicated) 30 minutes- Sunday 12:30pm
LatinNation takes an entertaining look at the impact of Latino culture in the U.S. and all things fun and cool. This quarter, the show ran on Sundays at 12:30pm.

January 2008

1. Diversity

"Immigration debate in Danbury"

1/4

*RACIAL PROFILING OR PUBLIC SAFETY?
PROTESTORS OF A PLAN TO TRAIN DANBURY POLICE OFFICERS TO
BE IMMIGRATION AGENTS GATHERED OUTSIDE CITY HALL LAST
NIGHT.*

"Lawyers asking for court appointed monitor to oversee desegregation"

1/4

*ATTORNEYS WRAP UP *ANOTHER ROUND* IN CONNECTICUT'S
LANDMARK SCHOOL DESEGREGATION CASE... SHEFF VERSUS
O'NEIL.*

"Clinton & Obama vow to take race out of campaign spotlight"

1/15

*DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL RIVALS HILLARY CLINTON AND BARACK
OBAMA ARE SHIFTING AWAY FROM A CONTROVERSY OVER RACE.*

"Opposing Protests on MLK holiday"

1/21

*THE STREETS IN JENA, LOUISIANA... PACKED WITH PEOPLE TODAY...
AS TWO GROUPS STAGED 'OPPOSING' PROTESTS.*

"MLK Celebration"

1/21

ACROSS THE COUNTRY... AND HERE IN CONNECTICUT... PEOPLE ARE HONORING DOCTOR MARTIN LUTHER KING, JUNIOR.

2. Health

"Britain Hospital Fire"

1/3

IT'S BEING CALLED A MAJOR SETBACK FOR CANCER TREATMENT. BRITAIN'S LEADING CANCER HOSPITAL CAUGHT FIRE YESTERDAY IN LONDON, BURNING ITS UPPER FLOORS.

"Benefits of sunshine"

1/8

THE HEALTH BENEFITS OF SUNSHINE... OUTWEIGH THE RISKS... ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY... GETTING MORE SUN CAN HELP YOU LIVE LONGER.

"Autism and Vaccines"

1/8

A NEW STUDY ADDS EVEN MORE WEIGHT TO THE ARGUMENT AGAINST VACCINES AS A CAUSE OF AUTISM.

"Worrying linked to heart attacks"

1/12

ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY... PEOPLE WHO CONSTANTLY WORRY CAN SIGNIFICANTLY INCREASE THEIR RISK OF A HEART ATTACK.

"Woodstock Skunk"

1/12

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT HAS ISSUED A REMINDER TO THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE AREA TO BE CAREFUL BECAUSE OF A RABID SKUNK

"Diabetes statin drugs"

1/12

DOCTORS ARE ENCOURAGING ADULTS WITH DIABETES TO ALSO TAKE STATIN DRUGS TO LOWER THEIR CHOLESTEROL.

"Cell phone sleep"

1/21

A NEW STUDY CLAIMS... RADIATION FROM THE HANDSET OF THE PHONE... CAN MAKE IT HARDER FOR PEOPLE TO REACH THE DEEPER STAGES OF SLEEP.

“Broccoli heart health”

1/22

BROCCOLI MAY PROTECT AGAINST HEART DISEASE.

“Burger and Fries”

1/23

ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY... ADULTS WHO ATE MORE THAN TWO SERVINGS HAD A 25-PERCENT HIGHER CHANCE OF DEVELOPING METABOLIC SYNDROME.

“Work-related stress”

1/23

WORK REALLY CAN KILL YOU.

A NEW STUDY LINKS ON-THE-JOB STRESS... TO AN INCREASED RISK OF HEART DISEASE.

“Obesity Surgery”

1/23

ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY... PATIENTS WHO HAD GASTRIC BYPASS OR STOMACH BAND SURGERY WERE FIVE TIMES MORE LIKELY TO SEE THEIR DIABETES DISAPPEAR OVER THE NEXT TWO YEARS.

“NYC Calories”

1/23

THE BOARD OF HEALTH VOTED TO REQUIRE FAST-FOOD RESTAURANT CHAINS TO PUT CALORIE INFORMATION ON MENUS.

“Cough medicine effective”

1/23

WE HAVE HEARD THE WARNINGS ABOUT-- 'OVER THE COUNTER' COUGH AND COLD MEDICINES FOR CHILDREN -- BUT NOW THERE IS CONCERN FOR ADULTS.

“Vaccines”

1/23

FEDERAL HEALTH EXPERTS ARE URGING ADULTS TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF WHAT MEDICINE HAS TO OFFER.

“Fighting spouses”

1/24

A NEW SURVEY SHOWS-- FIGHTING WITH YOUR SIGNIFICANT OTHER CAN BE GOOD FOR YOU HEALTH.

“Meningitis Death”

1/26

HEALTH OFFICIALS IN NEW YORK STATE ARE INVESTIGATING TWO MENINGITIS DEATHS IN TWO-DAYS.

“Exercise and DNA”

1/28

WHETHER YOU'RE EATING HEALTHY OR UNHEALTHY SNACKS... DON'T FORGET TO EXERCISE. A NEW STUDY SHOWS LACK OF PHYSICAL ACTIVITY COULD HURT YOUR D-N-A.

“New flu pill”

1/29

NEEDLES MAY ONE DAY BE UNNECESSAR FOR TREATING THE FLU. RESEARCHERS IN SOUTH KOREA SAY THEY'VE DEVELOPED A FLU VACCINE YOU PUT UNDER YOUR TOUNGE.

“Sesame seed recall”

1/29

F-D-A TESTING REVEALED A PRESENSE OF SALMONELLA IN A SAMPLE OF "SHILOH FARMS UNHULLED SESAME SEEDS."

“Middle-aged depression”

1/30

A NEW STUDY USING FIGURES FROM OVER 80-COUNTRIES SHOWS PEOPLE ARE MOST MISERABLE IN THEIR 40'S.

“Tracking MRSA”

1/30

EVERY YEAR IN *this* COUNTRY... ABOUT 100-THOUSAND PEOPLE DIE FROM 'HOSPITAL AQUIRED' MRSA.

“Stress of watching game raises risk of heart attack”

1/31

A NEW STUDY SHOWS BECOMING EMOTIONAL WHILE WATCHING SPORTS EVENTS... CAN INCREASE YOUR RISK OF A HEART ATTACK.

3. Education

“New Haven assistant principal”

1/10

AN ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL IN NEW HAVEN-- BEING HONORED FOR HER WORK. AMY CLARKE -- NAMED CONNECTICUT'S ELEMENTARY ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR.

"Camp stay in school"

1/10

THE TOP COLLEGE FOOTBALL PLAYERS IN THE COUNTRY MAKE THEIR WAY TO NEW HAVEN EVERY YEAR FOR THE ANNUAL WALTER CAMP ALL-AMERICA AWARDS WEEK.

"Trumbull Dismissed"

1/17

TODAY IS THE OFFICIAL GROUNDBREAKING FOR THE NEW WORTHINGTON-HOOKER SCHOOL IN NEW HAVEN.

"New Haven school groundbreaking"

1/18

TRUMBULL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DISMISSED EARLY THIS MORNING DUE TO A BOMB THREAT

"University of Hartford letter mistake"

1/19

APOLOGY NOTES ARE GOING OUT TO THOUSANDS OF HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS WHO RECEIVED INCORRECT ADMISSIONS LETTERS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF HARTFORD.

"Martin Luther King"

1/21

AT THE WEXLER GRANT SCHOOL IN NEW HAVEN.... CHILDREN LEARNED ABOUT DR. KING'S LEGACY.... THRU SPEECHES AND WORKSHOPS.... THE CELEBRATION WAS ALSO ABOUT BUILDING A COMMUNITY... AND WORKING TOGETHER

"Breathalyzers"

1/25

IT'S OFFICIAL... SEYMOUR'S SCHOOL BOARD APPROVES USING BREATHALYZERS AT SCHOOL.

"Amistad Emails"

1/25

SOME NEW HAVEN MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE MEETING THEIR PEN PALS OVER THE INTERNET TODAY.

"New school opening"

1/26

THE TOWN OF GROTON IS CELEBRATING THE OPENING OF A NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TODAY..

"Bridgeport School history"

1/28

IN MID-APRIL...MCKINNLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WILL CLOSE ITS DOORS FOREVER....AND WHILE PACKING UP STAFF MADE AN AMAZING DISCOVERY.

"Twelve yr. old charged"

1/31

A 12 YEAR OLD FROM OXFORD HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH MAKING A BOMB THREAT TO HIS SCHOOL.

4. Consumer/Crime

"Claywell sentencing"

1/3

A NEWS CHANNEL 8 UPDATE NOW A JUDGE TACKS ON ANOTHER FIVE YEARS TO THE SENTENCE OF A CONTRACTOR WHO TRADED EXPENSIVE GIFTS FOR STATE CONTRACTS WITH FORMER GOVERNOR ROWLAND.

"New Haven funeral home"

1/17

PEOPLE WITH CLAIMS AGAINST A NEW HAVEN FUNERAL HOME THAT SHUT DOWN... ARE GETTING HELP FROM THE STATE.

"JC-Penney data break"

1/18

A WARNING TONIGHT FOR J-C PENNEY CUSTOMERS. THE PERSONAL INFORMATION OF NEARLY 650-THOUSAND CUSTOMERS COULD BE AT RISK... BECAUSE OF A SECURITY BREACH

"Yogurt Warning"

1/26

IN HEALTH NEWS THIS MORNING THE DANNON COMPANY IS FACING A CLASS ACTION LAWSUIT CLAIMING ITS ADS ARE DECEIVING CUSTOMERS.

"Bank Fraud"

1/28

PRELIMINARY CHARGES HAVE BEEN FILED AGAINST A BANK TRADER ACCUSED OF CAUSING SEVEN BILLION DOLLARS IN LOSSES FOR FRANCE'S SECOND LARGEST BANK.

"Company Fraud"

1/30

NOW THE FEDERAL AGENCY SAYS IT IS INVESTIGATING 14 COMPANIES... FOR POSSIBLE ACCOUNTING FRAUD... INSIDER TRADING OR OTHER VIOLATIONS IN CONNECTION WITH HOME LOANS MADE TO RISKY BORROWERS.

5. Crime

"Baby Death"

1/17

A HARTFORD WOMAN WHO SAYS SHE WAS PLAYING A GAME WITH A TODDLER WILL FACE MURDER CHARGES TODAY IN CONNECTION WITH HIS DEATH.

"Hartford Homocide"

1/24

A HARTFORD MAN WITH A HISTORY OF VIOLENCE IS NOW BEING HELD IN THE MURDER OF ANOTHER MAN.

"New London Shooting"

1/26

NEW LONDON POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING AFTER TWO PEOPLE WERE SHOT LAST NIGHT.

"Missing Woman"

1/28

POLICE IN RENO, NEVADA SAY THE SAME MAN IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DISAPPEARANCE OF A YOUNG WOMAN AND THE SEXUAL ASSAULT OF A COLLEGE STUDENT.

"Chase Murder Arrest"

1/28

POLICE IN COLORADO SAY THEY'VE CRACKED THE COLD CASE MURDER OF A STAMFORD WOMAN.

"Greenwich Murder"

1/30

A GREENWICH MURDER INVESTIGATION LANDS ONE MAN BEHIND BARS AND EVEN MORE ARRESTS COULD BE ON THE WAY

"Seattle Shooting"

1/30

COVERING THE NATION TONIGHT POLICE IN SEATTLE ARE ON A MANHUNT FOR A GUNMAN IN A RESTAURANT SHOOTING.

"GA Hiker Killer Sentence"

1/31

THE MAN WHO SAYS HE KILLED A YOUNG HIKER IN GEORGIA WILL BE SPENDING THE REST OF HIS LIFE' IN PRISON.

"1988 Cold Case Arrest"

1/31

A BREAK IN A DECADES OLD SEXUAL ASSUALT CASE D-N-A EVIDENCE LEADS TO AN ARREST

"Hartford Body Box Guilty"

1/31

FOUR PEOPLE HAVE PLEADED GUILTY IN THE DEATH OF A PROSPECT TEENAGER WHOSE BODY WAS STUFFED IN A BOX.

6. Transportation

"Plane Crash Investigation"

1/11

"PILOT ERROR" CAUSED TWO FATAL PLANE CRASHES AT THE GROTON-NEW LONDON AIRPORT.

"Amtrak Strike?"

1/17

THE POSSIBILITY OF A RAIL STRIKE AND IT COULD BE A REAL HEADACHE FOR COMMUTERS.

"Hartford Fiery Crash"

1/25

INVESTIGATORS ARE WORKING TO IDENTIFY THE REMAINS OF TWO PEOPLE... WHO WERE KILLED IN A FIERY CRASH IN HARTFORD.

"Willamantic Crash"

1/27

A POLICE OFFICER IS INVOLVED IN A MULTI-VEHICLE ACCIDENT AT THE INTERSECTION OF MAIN STREET AND HOLBROOK AVENUE

"Bus Into Donut Shop"

1/27

EIGHT PEOPLE ARE HOSPITALIZED AFTER A BUS CRASHED INTO A

DOUGHNUT SHOP.

"Fairfield I-95 Fatal"

1/27

AN ACCIDENT ON I-95 IN FAIRFIELD KILLS A STRATFORD MAN.

"I-691 Triple Fatal"

1/27

POLICE STILL INVESTIGATING A TWO SEPARATE CRASHES IN MERIDEN LAST NIGHT THAT KILLED THREE PEOPLE.

"Burlington Oil Truck Accident"

1/28

A FREAK ACCIDENT IN BURLINGTON TAKES THE LIFE OF AN OIL COMPANY OWNER.

"China Bus Crash"

1/28

WINTER WEATHER CONDITIONS CLAIM THE LIVES OF AT LEAST 25 PEOPLE KILLED IN A BUS CRASH IN CHINA.

"Plane Off Runway"

1/28

A SCARY MOMENT FOR PEOPLE ABOARD A JET IN SPOKANE, WASHINGTON.

"L-Q Bridge Safety"

1/31

HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF CONNECTICUT COMMUTERS SIT IN BUMPER TO BUMPER TRAFFIC ON THE Q-BRIDGE DURING RUSH HOUR MANY WONDER WHEN THE AGING BRIDGE WILL BE REPLACED.

"Texas Snow Multi-Car Crash"

1/31

WILD WEATHER IS APPARENTLY TO BLAME FOR THIS DEADLY HIGHWAY PILE-UP IN TEXAS.

"Emergency Landing"

1/31

COVERING THE NATION TODAY A FLIGHT FROM NEWARK MAKES AN EMERGENCY LANDING IN COLORADO.

7. Environment

"Stew Goes Green"

1/15

FOR ALL THEIR EFFORTS TO SAVE THE ENVIRONMENT STEW LEONARD GOT A MILLION DOLLAR PLUS CHECK FROM THE CT ENERGY EFFICIENCY FUND TODAY.

"Whole Foods"

1/22

THIS IS SOMETHING YOU WON'T SEE AT THE ANY OF THE 270 WHOLE FOODS STORES NATIONWIDE AS OF APRIL 22ND. THE CHAIN WILL NO LONGER OFFER PLASTIC BAGS FOR SHOPPERS. THE REASON IS ENVIRONMENTAL

"Extreme Allergy"

1/22

NO ONE KNOWS WHAT CAUSES EOSINOPHILIC ESOPHAGITIS BUT DR. HYAMS SAYS MANY SUSPECT THE ENVIRONMENT COULD BE A FACTOR.

"Yale Greenhouse"

1/22

YALE UNIVERSITY IS TAKING STEPS TO GO "GREEN."

"Suffield Bio Diesel"

1/23

A PUBLIC HEARING TONIGHT IN SUFFIELD ON PLANS TO BUILD A BIO-DIESEL PRODUCTION PLANT.

8. Local

"Cheshire Lights of Hope"

1/6

A COMMUNITY-WIDE SHOW OF SUPPORT IN CHESHIRE. PEOPLE IN TOWN WILL 'LIGHT UP THE NIGHT TO SEND A MESSAGE OF HOPE.. AND RAISE MONEY FOR A GOOD CAUSE.

"Polar Plunge"

1/19

BACK HERE IN CONNECTICUT ... PEOPLE DOVE INTO THE CHILLY WATERS OF LONG ISLAND SOUND TO BENEFIT A GOOD CAUSE.

"New Haven House Fire"

1/28

FIRE INVESTIGATORS IN NEW HAVEN BUSY TONIGHT AFTER A 'FAST MOVING' HOUSE FIRE.

"West Haven Fire"

1/28

INVESTIGATORS ARE LOOKING INTO THE CAUSE OF A FIRE THAT DAMAGED TWO HOMES IN WEST HAVEN.

"Newtown Buddhist Temple"

1/30

SOME LOCAL BUDDISTS ARE UPSET TONIGHT... BECAUSE THEIR PLANS FOR A NEW TEMPLE HAVE BEEN SHOT DOWN.

"Obama in CT"

1/31

AND NEWS CHANNEL 8 HAS CONFIRMED THAT SENATOR BARACK OBAMA WILL HOLD A PRIMARY EVE RALLY IN HARTFORD ON MONDAY.

"Hartford Fire"

1/31

THE RED CROSS IS HELPING NEARLY 20 PEOPLE... WHO WERE FORCED OUT OF THEIR HOMES BY FIRE.

"New Hartford Fire"

1/31

NEW HARTFORD TOWN OFFICIALS TELL NEWS CHANNEL EIGHT THAT WEDNESDAY MORNING'S HOUSE FIRE LIKELY STARTED IN A WOOD STOVE CHIMNEY.

9. Women's Issues

"Cervical Cancer"

1/16

LT. GOVERNOR MICHAEL FEDELE -- LEADING THE EFFORT TO ENCOURAGE MORE WOMEN TO GET SCREENED FOR CERVICAL CANCER-- A CANCER THAT IF DETECTED EARLY-- IS CURABLE.

"Mammography Tips"

1/21

THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY RECOMMENDS YEARLY MAMMOGRAMS AT THE AGE OF 40 FOR WOMEN IN GOOD HEALTH.

"Caffeine links to miscarriage"

1/22

A NEW STUDY FINDS A STRONG LINK BETWEEN CAFFEINE AND THE RISK OF A MISCARRIAGE.

"Mammograms and Cost"

1/24

A NEW STUDY FOUND THAT SOME WOMEN AREN'T GETTING MAMMOGRAMS BECAUSE THEY WOULD BE REQUIRED TO PAY A CO-PAY.

"The pill and cancer"

1/25

WOMEN WHO ARE ON BIRTH CONTROL PILLS ARE LESS LIKELY TO DEVELOP OVARIAN CANCER.

"Female's with AIDS"

1/27

STARTLING NEW STATISTICS SHOW WOMEN ARE NOW THE FASTEST GROWING SEGMENT OF THE POPULATION BEING INFECTED WITH H-I-V IN THIS COUNTRY AND AROUND THE WORLD.

February 2008

1. Diversity

"Danbury Immigration"

2/6

DANBURY OFFICIALS HAVE APPROVED A PROGRAM TO ALLOW POLICE OFFICERS TO RECEIVE TRAINING FROM THE FEDERAL IMMIGRATION AGENCY TO CRACK DOWN ON ILLEGAL ALIENS.

Danbury Immig

"Basketball Racism"

2/8

SCHOOL OFFICIALS CALL FOR AN EMERGENCY MEETING OVER AN INCIDENT AT A HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL GAME.

"Racism Claims"

2/14

A FORMER ELECTRIC BOAT WORKER FILES SUIT AGAINST HIS FORMER CO-WORKERS.

"Illegal Immigrant Fines"

2/22

EMPLOYERS WHO KNOWINGLY HIRE ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS --WILL HAVE TO PAY MORE IN GOVERNMENT FINES.

"Club Discrimination"

2/28

A JUDGE HAS ORDERED A MENS ONLY GERMAN CLUB THAT HAS BEEN IN MYSTIC FOR 100 YEARS TO ADMIT WOMEN.

2. Health

"Obesity and Cancer"

2/15

BEING OVERWEIGHT CAN PUT YOU AT RISK FOR UP TO A DOZEN DIFFERENT TYPES OF CANCER.

"Strokes Triple"

2/21

RESEARCHERS SAY THEY'VE SEEN A HUGE SPIKE IN THE NUMBER OF MIDDLE-AGED WOMEN HAVING STROKES.

"Flu Vaccines"

2/21

ALTHOUGH WE'RE STILL DEALING WITH THIS YEAR'S FLU SEASON SCIENTISTS ARE ALREADY LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SEASON.

"Cancer Drug"

2/22

THE FDA IS GOING AGAINST THE GRAIN AND APPROVING A DRUG CALLED "AVASTIN" TO TREAT BREAST CANCER.

"Child Obesity Challenge"

2/26

TOPPING HEALTH NEWS TAKING ON THE CHALLENGE OF CHILDHOOD OBESITY.

"Colon Cancer Awareness"

2/27

TWO 'WELL KNOWN' CANCER SURVIVORS OFFICIALLY LAUNCHING A STATE WIDE CAMPAIGN TODAY IN THE FIGHT AGAINST COLON CANCER

"NY Measles"

2/27

A MEDICAL ALERT IN NEW YORK CITY AFTER TWO CASES OF MEASLES ARE DIAGNOSED IN ONE FAMILY.

"Alzheimer's Detection"

2/28

SCIENTISTS SAY THEY'VE FOUND A WAY TO DETECT IF YOU'RE AT RISK FOR ALZHEIMER'S.

"Flu Shots All Kids"

2/28

HEALTH OFFICIALS ARE RECOMMENDING NEARLY ALL CHILDREN GET A FLU SHOT.

"Casino Smoking Ban"

2/29

THE STATE'S TWO INDIAN-TRIBE OPERATED CASINOS ARE ONE OF THE FEW PLACES IN THE STATE WHERE SMOKERS CAN DO WHAT THEY WANT...AND SMOKE AT THE SAME TIME.

"Vitamins and Lung Cancer"

2/29

VITAMINS MAY NOT HELP REDUCE YOUR RISK OF LUNG CANCER... IN SOME CASES THEY MAY ACTUALLY INCREASE IT.

"Nexium for Kids"

2/29

A POPULAR ACID-REFLUX DRUG IS NOW APPROVED FOR CHILDREN.

3. Education

"Artist in Text Books"

2/1

FOR THE FIRST TIME FIFTH GRADERS WILL GET A LOOK AT THE FIRST RHODE ISLAND REGIMENT.

"Gibbs College"

2/15

GIBBS COLLEGE SAYS IT PLANS TO CLOSE ITS NORWALK CAMPUS.

"Campus Safety"

2/18

CONNECTICUT WILL HOLD A STATEWIDE CONFERENCE ON SCHOOL SAFETY.

"Homeschool Hearing"

2/20

CONNECTICUT PARENTS ARE BATTLING OVER THE RIGHT TO HOME SCHOOL THEIR CHILDREN.

"Teacher Arrested"

2/27

IN PLAINFIELD A HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER IS FACING BREACH OF PEACE CHARGES TODAY.

"Groton Seniors"

2/27

MOM CHRISTINE MALCOLM WELCOMES THE DIFFERENT TYPE OF DAYCARE AND SAYS THE UNIQUE PROGRAM HELPS HER KIDS ACCEPT PHYSICAL DIFFERENCES.

"Daycare Forums"

2/29

FOR MANY MOMS AND DADS DAYCARE IS A NECESSITY.

4. Consumer/Crime

"CA Ballot Box Stolen"

2/6

FOUR TEENAGERS IN CALIFORNIA ARE ACCUSED OF STEALING A BALLOT BOX ON SUPER TUESDAY.

"Kidney Theft Arrest"

2/8

AN INDIAN DOCTOR IS IN CUSTODY ACCUSED OF STEALING KIDNEYS.

"Waterbury Art Theft"

2/17

THERE ARE NEW CHARGES FOR A WATERBURY WOMAN ALREADY BEHIND BARS AND ACCUSED OF STEALING DOZENS OF PIECES OF ARTWORK.

"Gambardella in Court"

2/21

A FORMER MADISON POLICE OFFICER ALSO FACING THEFT CHARGES IS EXPECTED IN COURT TODAY.

"North Branford Lotto Theft"

2/27

THREE MEN ARE UNDER ARREST TONIGHT CHARGED WITH STEALING A MILLION DOLLARS FROM A NORTH BRANFORD LOTTERY WINNER.

"Casino Fraud"

2/29

A NEW YORK MAN IS CHARGED WITH STEALING FROM TWO CONNECTICUT CASINOS.

5. Crime

"Hartford Cop Arrest"

2/6

A HARTFORD POLICE VETERAN IS FACING COMPUTER CRIME CHARGES.

"Killingworth Homocide"

2/12

A MAN WHO IS BELIEVED TO HAVE STABBED A WOMAN TO DEATH IN KILLINGWORTH IS NOW DEAD HIMSELF.

"Therapist Murdered"

2/13

A GRUESOME CRIME IN NEW YORK CITY A PSYCHOLOGIST IS HACKED*TO DEATH AND HER COLLEAGUE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

"Mayor Wife Carjack"

2/15

THE WIFE OF BLOOMFIELD'S MAYOR BECOMES THE VICTIM OF A VIOLENT CRIME.

"CA School Shooting"

2/15

A 14-YEAR OLD ACCUSED OF SHOOTING A CLASSMATE AT A JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL IN CALIFORNIA WILL BE TRIED AS AN ADULT.

"NH Robberies"

2/18

THERE WERE TWO ROBBERIES THIS PAST WEEKEND, IN NEIGHBORHOODS NEAR CAMPUS.

"Guilford Burglary"

2/21

PEOPLE MOVE TO THE QUIET STREETS OF GUILFORD TO GET AWAY FROM CRIME, BUT A BURGLAR HAS PEOPLE THINKING AND TALKING ABOUT CRIME ALL OVER TOWN

"NH Shootings"

2/27

NEW HAVEN MAYOR JOHN DESTEFANO IS CALLING ON THE STATE TO STEP UP IN THE FIGHT AGAINST CRIME IN THE ELM CITY.

"Meriden Bank Robbery"

2/29

A BANK ROBBER HITS A TARGET IN MERIDEN FOR THE SECOND TIME.

"Arson Fires Arrest"

2/29

A HAMPTON MAN CHARGED WITH ARSON ACCUSED OF SETTING SIX FIRES ACROSS EASTERN CONNECTICUT.

6. Transportation

"NH Car into Building"

2/2

IN NEW HAVEN A DRIVER IS CRITICALLY HURT AND A STORE IS DESTROYED AFTER A WILD CRASH.

"I-84 Shutdown"

2/10

A MULTI CAR ACCIDENT SHUT DOWN PART OF INTERSTATE 84 IN FARMINGTON THIS MORNING

"Milford Teen Accident"

2/12

STUDENTS TEARY EYED AND HEARTBROKEN DECORATE THE SCENE WHERE TWO MILFORD STUDENTS LOST THEIR LIFE.

"Oxford Car into Water"

2/18

THIS MORNING STATE POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING A DEADLY ACCIDENT IN OXFORD.

"MN Deadly Bus Accident"

2/20

IN MINNESOTA A SCHOOL BUS ACCIDENT HAS CLAIMED THE LIVES OF FOUR CHILDREN.

"Westport Accident"

2/24

ALSO IN WESTPORT A COUPLE OF MULTI-CAR CRASHES ON THE MERRITT PARKWAY.

"Darien Accident"

2/24

A WRONG WAY DRIVER ALONG 1-95 IN DARIEN CRITICALLY INJURES A WOMAN FROM THE BRONX.

"Hamden Accident"

2/25

AN ACCIDENT IN HAMDEN LEAVES ONE PERSON IN THE HOSPITAL TONIGHT.

"North Haven Accident"

2/25

TIRES FLY OFF A TRACTOR TRAILER INJURING A WOMAN ON I-91

"MD School Bus Accident"

2/27

A BUS OVERTURNS IN MARYLAND WITH CHILDREN ON BOARD.

7. Environment

"Orange Hybrids"

2/18

THE TOWN OF ORANGE IS ENCOURAGING DRIVERS TO GO GREEN.

"Energy Efficient Washers"

2/20

RECENT TESTS SHOW CLEANING HAS IMPROVED ON ENERGY EFFICIENT WASHERS OVER THE LAST YEAR. INITIALLY, PRICES WENT UP AND THEIR CLEANING ABILITY SLIPPED BUT IT SEEMS MANUFACTURERS HAVE NOW CLEANED UP THEIR ACT.

"Organic Bridal & Baby"

2/20

A LOT OF COUPLES ARE PLANNING TO MAKE THEIR WEDDING REGISTRY "GREEN."

"Water Taste Test"

2/20

THERE'S A CALL AT THE CAPITOL TO 'TAP INTO' A NATURAL RESOURCE AND PHASE OUT THE USE OF BOTTLED WATER.

"Coconut Fuel Plane"

2/25

VIRGIN AIRLINES IS GOING GREEN VIRGIN ATLANTIC AIRLINES FLIGHT FIRST COMMERCIAL FLIGHT TO USE BIOFUEL.

"Smoke Free Casinos"

2/26

NEWS CHANNEL 8 AT FIVE CONTINUES WITH WORD A MANCHESTER LAWMAKER IS TAKING A GAMBLE AT SMOKE-FREE CASINOS.

8. Local

"New Haven Fire Looting"

2/6

A NEW HAVEN STORE OWNER IS BLAMING THE CITY FOR THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS WORTH OF STOLEN MERCHANDISE.

"New Haven Dog Burned"

2/21

POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING A CASE OF ANIMAL CRUELTY IN NEW HAVEN.

"Avon Mountain Rescue"

2/26

A YOUNG MAN WAS STRANDED ON THE SIDE OF THE 'AVON RIDGE LINE' FOR NEARLY TWO HOURS BEFORE HE WAS PULLED TO SAFETY WHILE SECURED TO A STRETCHER.

"Milford Sex Tape"

2/28

THREE MILFORD TEENS WHO MADE A SEX TAPE IN SCHOOL WILL NOT FACE CHARGES.

"Branford Fire"

2/28

FIRE AT A BRANFORD CONDO COMPLEX SENDS PEOPLE OUT INTO THE COLD.

"Hamden Fire"

2/28

ANOTHER FIRE KEEPING CREWS IN HAMDEN HARD AT WORK THIS MORNING.

"Shoreline Drug Bust"

2/29

A MAJOR DRUG BUST ALONG THE SHORELINE.

"Hartford Fire"

2/29

A DOZEN PEOPLE ARE OUT OF THEIR HOMES TONIGHT THE RESULT OF A FIRE IN HARTFORD.

"Hamden Dog Officer"

2/29

CONTROVERSY OVER THE DISTURBING DISPOSAL OF ANIMALS IS NOW LEADING TO CALLS FOR THE REMOVAL OF HAMDEN'S ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER.

"Clinton Drug Sting"

2/29

TEN PEOPLE ARRESTED WHEN POLICE BUST UP AN ALLEGED SHORELINE DRUG DEALING OPERATION.

9. Woman's Issues

"Breast Cancer Websites"

2/12

DOCTORS SAY WOMEN SHOULD BE SKEPTICAL OF BREAST CANCER INFORMATION THEY FIND ONLINE.

"UConn Women GTown"

2/12

THINK PINK WAS IN FULL EFFECT AT GAMPEL, OLD, YOUNG EVEN GENO AURIEMMA GETTING INTO THE SPIRIT RASING AWARENESS FOR BREAST CANCER.

"Southern Thinks Pink"

2/13

TEAMS TRYING TO HELP RAISE AWARENESS FOR BREAST CANCER.
SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE REALLY DOING
ITS PART.

"Quinnipiac Thinks Pink"

2/16

PINK.. PINK...PINK..ITS EVERYWHERE..FOR A GOOD REASON TO RAISE
CANCER AWARENESS.

"Too Pretty To Fly?"

2/26

THE 18-YEAR-OLDS CLAIM THE ATTENDANTS ON A SOUTHWEST
AIRLINES FLIGHT WERE RUDE TO THEM BECAUSE THEY WERE
JEALOUS OF THEIR PHYSICAL APPEARANCE.

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1. Diversity

"Noose Law"

3/24

A NEW HATE CRIME COULD SOON BE ON THE BOOKS HERE IN
CONNECTICUT.

2. Health

"Alzheimer's"

3/18

A NEW REPORT SHOWS ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE COULD SOON BE ON
THE RISE... TAKING A HIGH TOLL ON BABY BOOMERS.

"College Student Stress"

3/18

A LOT OF COLLEGE STUDENTS SAY... 'STRESS' IS EFFECTING THEIR
HEALTH.

"HPV Vaccine's"

3/19

THE F-D-A IS CONSIDERING WHETHER TO EXPAND THE USE OF THE
'H-P-V' VACCINE TO MORE WOMEN.

"Heparin Problems"

3/19

OFFICIALS HAVE IDENTIFIED THE 'DEADLY CONTAMINANT' IN THE BLOOD THINNER HEPARIN.

"Marriage and Longevity"

3/20

STUDIES SHOW THAT MARRIED PEOPLE TEND TO LIVE LONGER THAN UNMARRIED PEOPLE, AND NEW RESEARCH PROVIDES A CLUE AS TO WHY THIS BARRIAGE BENEFIT EXISTS.

"Vegan Diet"

3/20

RESEARCHERS ARE POINTING TO THE BENEFITS OF A VEGAN DIET FOR PEOPLE WITH RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS.

"100 Calorie Packs"

3/21

DOES A TREAT THAT'S LOW IN CALORIES ALWAYS MEAN THEY'RE GOOD FOR YOUR HEALTH?

"Smell and Parkinson's"

3/21

LOSING YOUR SENSE OF SMELL COULD SIGNAL AN 'INCREASED RISK' FOR PARKINSON'S DISEASE.

"CO Salmonella in Water"

3/24

COLORADO RESIDENTS IN ALAMOSA ARE TOLD *NOT* TO DRINK OR COOK WITH TAP WATER AS A SALMONELLA OUTBREAK CONTINUES TO SPREAD.

"Typhoon Fever Scare"

3/24

A RARE HEALTH SCARE IN NEW YORK A LONG ISLAND MAN HAS TYPHOID FEVER.

3. Education

"Bridgeport Pre-Kindergarten"

3/4

BRIDGEPORT IS HOPING TO 'MAKE THE GRADE' IN PRE-K EDUCATION.

"School Longevity"

3/13

IN HEALTH NEWS THIS MORNING... WANT TO LIVE A LONG LIFE? STAY IN SCHOOL.

"School Start Debate"

3/14

A PROPOSAL TO START THE SCHOOL YEAR AFTER LABOR DAY IS BEING MET WITH RESISTENCE.

"Milford Teachers"

3/18

IN MILFORD 180 TEACHERS PLACED ON NOTICE...THEY MAY NOT GET RENEWED.

"School of Trout"

3/19

THE "TROUT IN THE CLASSROOM" PROGRAM IS FREE ONCE SCHOOLS COME UP WITH 12-HUNDRED DOLLARS TO PAY FOR THE TANK.

"New Milford Breathalyzers"

3/20

SCHOOLS IN NEW MILFORD MAY SOON START USING BREATHALYZERS.

"Waterbury Driving School"

3/21

ANOTHER DRIVING SCHOOL IS UNDER INVESTIGATION FOR ALLEGEDLY PROVIDING LICENSES FOR ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS.

"UConn Minorities"

3/21

A NEW REPORT SHOWS THE STATE'S 4-YEAR COLLEGES DO NOT REFLECT THE NUMBER OF MINORITIES IN THE STATE.

"Stratford Driving School"

3/21

A STRATFORD DRIVING SCHOOL OWNER IS ACCUSED OF HELPING ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS GET LICENSES.

"Bridgeport Magnet School"

3/24

BRIDGEPORT MAYOR BILL FIND HAS ORDERED A NEW ROUND OF

*BIDDING TO BUILD A MAGNET SCHOOL AFTER FLAWS WERE
DISCOVERED IN SELECTION OF A CONSTRUCTION MANAGER,
INCLUDING POSSIBLE FAVORITISM.*

4. Consumer/Crime

"Elderly Scams"

3/11

*A NEW BANKING PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT SENIORS
FROM GETTING SCAMMED.*

"DMV ID Theft"

3/17

*CAROLYN DONOVAN WAS HORRIFIED TO LEARN THERE WERE SEVEN
OTHER VEHICLES REGISTERED IN HER NAME TO SEVEN DIFFERENT
ADDRESSES ALL WITH UNPAID TAXES.*

"New Haven Vandalism"

3/18

*SOMEBODY HAS VANDALIZED THE FOUNTAIN RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE
OF THE NEW HAVEN GREEN.*

"RI Stolen Data"

3/21

*THE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS OF NEARLY 14-HUNDRED PEOPLE
IN RHODE ISLAND MAY BE IN THE
WRONG HANDS TONIGHT.*

"Garage Theft"

3/21

*POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR SUSPECTS TARGETING SHEDS AND
GARAGES IN NEW HAVEN.*

"Easter Theft"

3/24

*POLICE SAY A CONNECTICUT MAN HAD A MORE SINISTER REASON
FOR STOPPING BY A CHURCH IN PLAINFIELD.*

"Yale Frat House Thefts"

3/24

*THE BROTHERS OF A YALE FRATERNITY ARE OUT THOUSANDS OF
DOLLARS IN ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT.*

5. Crime

"Meriden Bank Robbery"

3/1

IN MERIDEN... A BANK ROBBER STRIKES AGAIN AT THE SAME BANK .

"Murder For Hire Plot"

3/20

A MAN ACCUSED IN A 'MURDER FOR HIRE' PLOT GOES BEFORE A JUDGE.

"New Haven Homicide"

3/21

NEW HAVEN POLICE HAVE RELEASED THE NAME OF THE CITY'S LATEST HOMICIDE VICTIM.

"NB Teen Death Arrest"

3/24

A NEWINGTON MAN IS UNDER ARREST CHARGED IN THE AUGUST 2006 DEATH OF A TEENAGE BOY.

"Avon Grenade Found"

3/24

A POTENTIALLY EXPLOSIVE DISCOVERY IN AVON THIS MORNING

"Iowa City Shooting"

3/24

A MOTHER AND FOUR CHILDREN ARE FOUND DEAD IN THEIR HOME... NOW POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR THEIR KILLER.

"Norwalk Cop Death"

3/24

TONIGHT UNANSWERED QUESTIONS MOUNT IN THE DEATH OF A NORWALK POLICE OFFICER.

"Kissel Murder Suspect"

3/24

ITS BEEN JUST UNDER TWO YEARS SINCE ANDREW KISSEL WAS FOUND DEAD IN HIS GREENWICH MANSION.

"Bailey Rae Hubby Dead"

3/24

THE HUSBAND OF MULTI AWARD WINNING SOUL SINGER CORINNE BAILEY RAE HAS BEEN FOUND DEAD.

"Clinton Drug Suspects"

3/24

ONE OF THE MEN ARRESTED IN A SHORELINE DRUG OPERATION IS DUE IN COURT THIS MORNING.

"Hartford Homocide"

3/24

HARTFORD POLICE SAY ROAD RAGE MAY HAVE LED TO THE SHOOTING DEATH OF A MANCHESTER TEEN.

"New Britain Kidnapping"

3/28

POLICE ARE SEARCHING FOR MAN WHO THEY SAY ABDUCTED A WOMAN AND THEN LED POLICE ON A CHASE THROUGH SEVERAL TOWNS. THAT CHASE ENDED WHEN THE SUSPECT CRASHED HIS VEHICLE.

6. Transportation

"NYC Commuter Hikes"

3/3

SOME FARES ON TRAIN, SUBWAYS AND BUSES ARE GOING UP IN THE BIG APPLE.

"Teen Driving Classes"

3/8

GOVERNOR RELL WANTS TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT THE NUMBER OF DEADLY CRASHES INVOLVING TEEN AGERS.

"Airline Times"

3/11

ACROSS THE NATION AIRLINES ARE ONLY ON-TIME ABOUT 72 PERCENT OF THE TIME.

"RI Deadly Train Accident"

3/14

POLICE HAVE IDENTIFIED THE WORKER STRUCK AND KILLED BY AN AMTRAK TRAIN IN RHODE ISLAND.

"IL Car into Crowd"

3/20

SURVEILLANCE VIDEO MAY EXPLAIN WHAT CAUSED A DRIVER TO PLOW THROUGH A CROWD AT A CAR AUCTION IN ILLINOIS.

"I-84 Manchester Accident"

3/24

ONLY ONE LANE OF TRAFFIC AND THE SHOULDER ARE OPEN ON A SECTION OF I-84 AFTER A TAXI-CAB AND TWO TRACTOR-TRAILERS COLLIDE.

7. Environment

"Stratford Beach debate"

3/6

STRATFORD IS CONSIDERING THE SALE OF ONE OF ITS BEACHES TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

"State Recycling"

3/7

STATE LAWMAKERS WANT MORE PEOPLE TO RECYCLE.

"Plastic bag ban in CT"

3/8

A NEW PUSH TO BAN PLASTIC GROCERY BAGS IN CONNECTICUT HAS CLEARED ITS FIRST HURDLE. THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE APPROVED THE LEGISLATION YESTERDAY.

"Pharmaceuticals in water"

3/10

MAJOR CONCERN THIS MORNING ABOUT THE QUALITY OF DRINKING WATER SUPPLIES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

"Waterford Green School"

3/13

ONE WATERFORD SCHOOL IS ROOTING ITSELF WITH THE ENVIRONMENT. CONSTRUCTION IS UNDER WAY TO MAKE IT "GREEN"...IN ORDER TO SAVE A LITTLE GREEN.

"Broadwater Ruling"

3/21

FEDERAL REGULATORS ARE GIVING BROADWATER ENERGY THE GREEN LIGHT.

"Tap water project."

3/23

FROM THE RECYCLING BINS...TO THE RECYLCED NAPIKINS...AT
CLAIRE'S CORNER-COPIA...BEING "GREEN" IS JUST GOOD BUSINESS..

8. Local

"Chili Festival"

3/1

IT MAY HAVE BEEN COLD OUTSIDE ... BUT PEOPLE IN MILFORD WERE
FEELING THE HEAT AT THE POLICE AND FIREFIGHTER CHILI
FESTIVAL.

"Jam for Jimi"

3/2

PEOPLE WERE JAMMING OUT IN ORANGE TODAY TO HELP RAISE
MONEY FOR CHILDREN WITH LEARNING DISABILITIES.

"Police Info System"

3/4

A NEW SYSTEM... COULD REVOLUTIONIZE THE WAY LOCAL POLICE
DEPARTMENTS WORK TOGETHER IN THE STATE.

"Branford Fire"

3/10

FIRE CREWS RETURNED TO THE SCENE OF A DEVASTATING FIRE IN
NORTH BRANFORD THIS MORNING.

"Hartford Sacred Heart"

3/10

HUSKIES GET READY FOR THE BIG EAST TOURNAMENT...
COUPLE OF OTHER LOCAL TEAMS ARE ONE WIN AWAY FROM AN
AUTOMATIC INVITATION TO THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
TOURNAMENT.

"Chester Earthquake"

3/12

AN EARTHQUAKE ROCKED A PART OF CONNECTICUT ON MONDAY
NIGHT IN THE CHESTER, DEEP RIVER AREA.

"Lazarus the Dog"

3/17

A FAIRFIELD DOG IS LIVING UP TO HIS BIBLICAL NAME.

"Marines Come Home"

3/22

FROM THE WARFRONT TO THE HOMEFRONT, MEMBERS OF THE 6th MOTOR TRANSPORT BATTALLION ARE RESTING AFTER A 7-MONTH DEPLOYMENT. TODAY IN NEW HAVEN FAMILY AND FRIENDS CHEERED THEM HOME.

"Bear Stearns Protest"

3/26

CONNECTICUT HOMEOWNERS ARE JOINING IN A NATIONAL PROTEST AGAINST THE BEAR STEARNS BAILOUT.

"Chief's Cup"

3/29

POLICE AND FIREFIGHTERS WORK TOGETHER EVERYDAY IN NEW HAVEN..BUT TODAY THEY "FACED OFF"....FOR A GOOD CAUSE.

"John Quinn"

3/31

ONE OF CONNECTICUT'S BROADCAST JOURNALISM PIONEERS HAS DIED.JOHN ARTHUR QUINN WAS ONE OF THE FIRST NEWS EXECUTIVES AT THE STATE'S FIRST TELEVISION STATION-- WHICH EVENTUALLY BECAME W-T-N-H.

"Governor Jodi Rell"

3/31

SAYING SHE IS BOTH ANGRY AND OUTRAGED OVER THIS LATEST CRIME...GOVERNOR JODI RELL SAYS SHE WANTS A "THREE STRIKES" LAW ON THE BOOKS.

9. Woman's Issues

"Teen Pregnancy"

3/3

NEW HAVEN IS LAUNCHING A LOCAL COUNCIL TO COMBAT TEEN PREGNANCY.

THE PANEL WILL INCLUDE ADULT EXPERTS AS WELL AS TEENAGERS WHO HAVE ALREADY CONFRONTED THIS ISSUE IN THEIR OWN YOUNG LIVES.

"Reese Witherspoon"

3/6

OSCAR WINNER REESE WITHERSPOON IS TEAMING UP TO STOP VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN.

"Women's Knees"

3/6

DESIGNED FOR A WOMAN -- MORE COMPANIES CREATING ARTIFICIAL KNEES MADE FOR WOMEN.

"UConn women"

3/13

EARLIER THIS WEEK -- THE UCONN WOMEN TOOK HOME THE BIG EAST TOURNAMENT TITLE. COULD THE MEN'S HOOP TEAM DELIVER AS WELL?

"Pregnancy & Cancer"

3/24

CHEMOTHERAPY, RADIATION AND SURGERY CAN IMPACT A WOMAN WITH CANCER TRYING TO GET CONCEIVE.